TRICARE FOR LIFE REGIONAL BOUNDARIES

1.0. GENERAL

1.1. Regional Boundaries

This addendum applies to the TRICARE For Life program only. Claims processing jurisdiction is based on place of service. Where Medicare is primary and TRICARE is secondary, the claim will be forwarded from the Medicare claims processor to the TRICARE claims processor responsible for the region where the care was provided. Where TRICARE is primary, the claim will be processed by the contractor responsible for the region where the care was provided. For the TRICARE For Life program, regional boundaries are adjusted so that regions are based wholly on state lines. Regional boundaries will be as listed below. The MCSC responsible for the state shall contract with the appropriate Medicare FI/Carrier to ensure that Medicare claims for all TRICARE beneficiaries receiving care within the state are electronically forwarded to MCSC.

REGION	STATES		
1	Maine		
	New Hampshire		
	Vermont		
	New York		
	Pennsylvania		
	Connecticut		
	Massachusetts		
	Delaware		
	Rhode Island		
	Maryland		
	New Jersey		
	District of		
	Columbia		
2	Virginia		
	North Carolina		
3	South Carolina		
	Georgia		
	Florida		
4	Tennessee		
	Alabama		
	Mississippi		

	REGION	STATES
	5	Wisconsin Michigan Illinois Indiana Ohio West Virginia Kentucky
	6	Oklahoma Arkansas Louisiana Texas
	Central	Montana North Dakota Minnesota South Dakota Idaho Wyoming Nebraska Iowa Nevada Utah Colorado

REGION	STATES		
Central	Kansas		
(Cont)	Missouri		
	Arizona		
	New Mexico		
9/10	California		
11	Washington		
	Oregon		
12	Hawaii		
	Alaska		